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MORRILL MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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JULY 2009 MORRILL MUSINGS



Message from the Director,

Charlotte Canelli

Where will you Mango? We have added something new! *Mango Languages* is new to our list of databases available to Norwood residents. Mango Languages is an online language-learning system teaching actual conversation skills for a wide variety of languages. Japanese, Greek, Brazilian Portuguese, Spanish, Italian, Mandarin Chinese, German, French, Russian and ESL Spanish, Brazilian Portuguese and Polish are all available to you and your families from home.



Find us in Norwood

- Watch us on **Norwood Public Access TV** on the "Library Show" with new shows airing each month.
- Pick up a print copy of **Morrill Musings** at the library or download the pdf version directly from our website.
- Don't miss the column, "**From the Library,**" in the **Daily News Transcript** and the **Norwood Bulletin** each week written by columnists from the Morrill Memorial Library staff.
- Sign up for our electronic newsletter, **Morrill Library e-News**, on our website, www.norwoodlibrary.org.

"Beach Reads" is back! Fun, informative, educational and enlightening... Librarians Beth Goldman and Margot Sullivan will each review 7-8 titles for your reading pleasure on Thursday, July 9 at 10 a.m. and again at 7:30 p.m. Come for a cup of coffee and a delightful dose of inspiration and laughter with Margot and Beth along with never-fail book suggestions for summer. No registration necessary.

Join local craft artisan and library staff member **Marg Corjay** at a **workshop** where you'll learn to make a beautiful **scrap fabric wreath** on Tuesday, July 14 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. You'll also learn to craft professional-quality decorative bows for your wreath. This class, limited to 15 people, is free except for a \$5 charge for materials. Please bring a small screwdriver or knitting needle, if possible. No prior craft experience necessary. Sign up at the library or call 781-769-0200, ext. 223.

Library adds new database: In addition to our print subscription, we now offer **Consumer Reports online** which you can access either from the library (click Databases for Research under Web Links on the library homepage) or from home, using your Minute-man Library Network card, if you are a Norwood resident. Products listed in the online database have been reviewed and updated on an accelerated schedule appropriate to that product or service, or within a two-year timeframe. Questions? The staff at the Reference Desk will be happy to assist you.

HOLD THAT BOOK! AUGUST 2009 RELEASES

Some of August's **fiction blockbusters**: *The Return* by Ben Bova, *South of Broad* by Pat Conroy, *Intervention* by Robin Cook, *Hell's Gate* by Stephen Frey, *The Law of Nines* by Terry Goodkind, *Blindman's Bluff* by Faye Kellerman, *Rhino Ranch* by Larry McMurtry, and *That Old Cape Magic*, by Richard Russo. Some **new non-fiction blockbusters**: *I Drink For a Reason* by David Cross, *Natural Laws of Good Luck* by Ellen Graf, *Overcoming ADHD* by Stanley Greenspan, *Soul of a Dog* by Jon Katz, *A Big Little Life* by Dean Koontz, *Strength in What Remains* by Tracy Kidder, and *Flat Belly Diet!* by Liz Vaccariello.

You can **reserve these books online NOW**. Sign up for our e-Newsletter with direct links to prepublication titles you can request. Visit our website and click on **e-News** sign up.

Special Summer Events for Kids

The Music Lady—Carol Kingsbury 7/8, 7/29, 8/19, 10-10:45 a.m. *Preschoolers and up*. A great program to keep younger children laughing and singing.*

Lucy the R.E.A.D. Dog 7/31, 8/21, 10-10:45 a.m. *Beginner readers and up*. Lucy, a trained companion dog, would love to listen to you read to her. Come share the joy of reading. You may bring your own book or borrow one from the library.*

Go for the Stars 7/22, 3:30-4:15 p.m. *Grades K+* A multi-media space program featuring Robo the friendly robot who walks, talks and interacts with the audience. Learn all about space with help from Robo.*

*Registration begins 2 weeks prior to event.

Drop-In Programs: (no registration required; Contact the Children's Dept. for more information) Monday Movie Madness, Wednesday Drop-in Craft Time, Friday Picnics in the Park, Campfire Tales (July 2) and Lego Mania (August 18).

VISIT OUR WEBSITE: WWW.NORWOODLIBRARY.ORG

Mondays through Thursdays 9 am–9 pm

Fridays 10 am–5 pm

Closed Saturdays and Sundays until Fall 2009

July 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sa
Library Hours:			1	2 7-7:30 p.m. Campfire Tales	3	4 LIBRARY CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL
CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL	6 7-8:30 p.m. Movie Madness <i>"Space Buddies"</i>	7 6:30 p.m. Kids Scrabble 6:30 p.m. Adult Scrabble	8 10-10:45 a.m. The Music Lady—Carol Kingsbury	9 10:00 a.m. Beach Reads with Beth Goldman and Margot Sullivan 7:30 Beach Reads repeated	10	11 LIBRARY CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL
CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL	13 7-8:30 p.m. Movie Madness <i>"The Jetsons"</i>	14 10 a.m.-12 Scrap Fabric Wreath Workshop with Marg Corjay 6:30 p.m. Kids Scrabble 6:30 p.m. Adult Scrabble	15	16	17	18 LIBRARY CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL
CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL	20 7-8:30 p.m. Movie Madness <i>"WALL-E"</i>	21 6:30 p.m. Kids Scrabble 6:30 p.m. Adult Scrabble	22 3:30-4:15 p.m. Go for the Stars (Robo, the friendly robot)	23	24	25 LIBRARY CLOSED THURSDAYS UNTIL FALL
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